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TO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

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TAGS:OCLR, TGEN, BR, GT, VE

SUBJECT: NOAA SHIP MT MITCHELL

1. IN COURSE CABLE ROUTE SURVEYS IN WESTERN ATLANTIC AND CARIBBEAN, NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION (DEPT COMMERCE) SHIP MT. MITCHELL DESIRES CALL FORTALEZA BRAZIL AND ENTER TERRITORIAL WATERS GUATEMALA AND VENEZUELA. VESSEL TO SURVEY PROPOSED CABLE ROUTE

FOR AM. TEL. AND TEL. PURPOSE OF FORTALEZA CALL IS FUEL, PROVISIONS AND CREW REST. ENTRY TO GOG WATERS (NEAR PT. BARRIOS) AND GOV WATERS (NEAR MAIQUETIA) IS TO TERMINATE TRACK LINE (WHERE NAVIGATION IS BY ELECTRONIC INSTRUMENTS) WITH PRECISE VISUAL FIX, OR SO-CALLED "LAND-TIE." NO PORT CALLS WILL BE MADE.

2. MT MITCHELL IS 231 FT, 1800 TON PUBLIC VESSEL OPERATED
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BY NOAA. COMMANDING OFFICER IS CDR. RONALD M. BUFFINGTON;

OFFICER/CREW COMPLEMENT 72; FOUR IN TECHNICAL PARTY.
DEPT POUCHING TRACK CHARTLET. ITINERARY FOLLOWS:

ARRIVE	PORT	DEPART
XXX	ST. THOMAS	11 APR
19 APR	FORTALEZA	22 APR
2 MAY	ST. THOMAS	5 MAY
7 MAY	MAIQUETIA	7 MAY
16 MAY	KEY WEST,FLA.	19 MAY
21 MAY	PT. BARRIOS	21 MAY
23 MAY	KEY WEST	XXX

3. REQUEST POSTS SEEK HOST GOVT APPROVAL FOR ABOVE
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